

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Satish Kumar Sharma :

APPLICATION NO.: 10/717,244 :

Examiner:

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Group Art Unit:

TITLE: SOLUBLE NOTCH-BASED SUBSTRATES :  
FOR GAMMA SECRETASE AND  
METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR  
USING SAME

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Sir:

Attorney Certification under 37 CFR 1.125 (a) "Substitute Specification" and under 37 CFR 1.821 et seq. "Nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosures in patent applications"

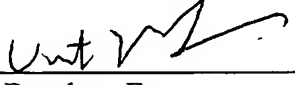
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed July 6, 2004 and directed to defects in the Sequence Listing, Applicant has found it most appropriate to proceed also by way providing a Substitute Specification. The defects identified by the USPTO via the "Raw Sequence Listing Error Report" are correctly directed to the fact that although the original sequence identifiers were generally consecutively numbered, there were some skipped SEQ ID numbers. Accordingly, it has been necessary to renumber the consecutive list of SEQ ID NOs so that there are no missing identifiers/gaps. For clarity, this is best accomplished by way of a substitute specification, and also a replacement sequence listing (both in paper copy and computer readable form). The undersigned hereby certifies that no new matter has been introduced by way of the substitute specification, as shown also by the marked up copy, only that the gaps in the SEQ ID NO identifiers have now been filled. The substitute specification is otherwise identical to the original specification.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.821 et seq., the undersigned also hereby certifies that no new matter has been introduced by way of the replacement of the Sequence Listing. The replacement paper copy and two (2) diskette copies of the sequence listing, as submitted herewith, are identical in every respect to each other, and to the original copies of the

sequence listing, except that gaps in the SEQ ID No identifiers have been filled in. No sequences have been amended as to content.

Respectfully submitted,

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